

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Kazuhiko AKASAKA et al.

Serial No. 09/761,779

Group Art Unit: 2155

Confirmation No. 5962

Filed: January 18, 2001

Examiner: Kevin T. BATES

For: NETWORK VERIFICATION AND PUBLICATION METHOD AND APPARATUS (as amended)

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action mailed May 18, 2007, and having a period for response set to expire on August 18, 2007. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to September 18, 2007.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.